मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री (श्री पी. शिव शंकर) : (क) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन (मुख्यालय) में उपलब्ध रिकार्ड के अनुसार, अखिल भारतीय केन्द्रीय विद्यालय शिक्षक संघ (ए० आई० के० वी० टी० ए०) के सदस्यों द्वारा केन्द्रीय विद्यालय, अपर शिलांग, डिफू और जोरहाट के प्रधानाचार्यों पर हमले के संबंध में कोई भी सूचना उपलब्ध नहीं है । तथापि, प्रधानाचार्य, केन्द्रीय विद्यालय, टुली द्वारा एक योगा शिक्षक, जो अखिल भारतीय केन्द्रीय विद्यालय शिक्षक संघ की स्थानीय इकाई का एक पदाधिकारी है, द्वारा किये गये वास्तविक हमले के संबंध में एक शिकायत की गई थी । इस शिकायत पर विभागीय जांच शुरू कर दी गई है।

(ख) और (ग) स्थनीय पुलिस/सुरक्षा द्वारा संरक्षण प्रदान किया जाता है । जब कभी भी केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों के प्रधानाचार्यों द्वारा संरक्षण की मांग की जाती है, तभी उन स्थानीय प्राधिकारियों द्वारा इस प्रकार का संरक्षण प्रदान किया जाता है।

Airports manned by NAAI

2795. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of a news item which appeared in the Hindustan Times dated the 2nd June 1989 that the National Airports Authority, of India manning more than 87 Airports and 28 Civil Enclaves in the Airports which are managed by the Defence Ministry is facing difficulty because of paucity of funds; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and what steps Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) and (b) Due to overall financial constraints, the Seventh Plan Outlay for the Civil Aviation Sector was reduced and consequently allocations for the NAA/DGCA were also reduced, as a result of which execution of certain schemes having low priority had to be postponed.

The National Airports Authority have raised Route Navigational Facility Charges, introduced Terminal Navigational Landing Charges and levied a Passengers' Service Fee. They are also implementing various other methods of increasing their sources of revenue.

Creation of posts of Lab. Attendants instead of Lab. Assistants in KVS

2796. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a decision was taken in 1974 to the effect that henceforth new posts would be created for Lab. Attendants instead of Lab. Assistants;

(b) if so, whether post of Lab. Attendants exist in schools of Delhi Administration; and

(c) whether the decision referred to at (a) was approved by Board of Governors of KVS?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Yes, Sir.

Vacant post of Commissioner in KVS

2797. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the post of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanga-

than's Commissioner has remained vacant since October/November, 1988;

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that a part-time Commissioner has been posted to look after the routine work of the Sangathan; and

(c) what are the details thereof and what efforts have been made to get a regular Commissioner and the likely date by which the new incumbent is expected to join?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Pending selection to the post of Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, on a regular basis, officiating arrangements have been made. Action is in hand for selection of a regular incumbent. However, it is not possible to indicate the exact time by which the post is likely to be filled up on regular basis as various procedural formalities are required to be completed for the purpose.

Entitlement of senior scales to PGTs of KVS

2798. SHRI ANAND PRAKASH GAUTAM: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of PGTs of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan who are continuing in this grade since 1974 or earlier but have not undergone in-service course during 1981—86 and 1984—89;

(b) if so, whether they are entitled to get senior scales;

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and if not, the justification thereof; and

(d) by when the senior scales are likely to be granted to otherwise eligible candidates?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan organises in-service course for Post Graduate Teachers to cover every teacher in a cycle of five years. Some teachers could not attend these courses due to personal reasons. Details of such teachers are not available with Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan Headquarters.

(b) and (c) For grant of senior scale, every teacher is required to participate in an in-service training programme of at least three weeks duration once in every six years. The Kendriya Vidyalaya teachers who could not meet this requirement have been exempted from this by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for a period of two years with effect from 15.2.1989.

(d) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has issued instructions to the Assistant Commissioners of the regions to implement the revised scales of pay including grant of Senior scales.

Indo-French co-operation in the field of Defence

2799. SHRI PRITHIBI MAJHI: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Indo-French co-operation in the field of space, nuclear energy and defence figured in the course of discussions between the Prime Minister and the French President in the second week of July, 1989 at Paris; and

(b) if so, the salient features thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. NATWAR SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) During the visit of Prime Minister to France, cooperation between the two countries in different fields including space, nuclear energy